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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE FOR** )  
**ELECTRO-OPTIC APPLICATIONS,** )  
**METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAID** )  
**DEVICE AND CORRESPONDING** )  
**SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE** )  
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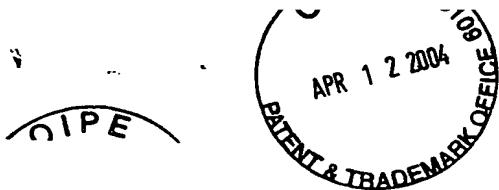
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